

1 SEC. 4. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take
 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Des Moines
 3 Capital, a newspaper published in the city of Des Moines, Iowa and
 4 the Chariton Herald-Patriot, a newspaper published in the city of
 5 Chariton, Iowa without expense to the state.

Approved March 23, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital
 March 24, 1923, and the Chariton Herald-Patriot March 29, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

Note: The word "therefore" in line 3, section 1, should be "therefor".

CHAPTER 347

MILLS COUNTY

S. F. 547

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants issued by Mills county on the bridge, road and general funds and to authorize the execution and sale of bonds to fund the same.

WHEREAS, the county of Mills, Iowa, by its board of supervisors did authorize and incur indebtedness in the sum of \$149,549.44 for corporate purposes as follows: \$111,080.44 for constructing and repairing bridges, \$23,521.34 for improving roads and \$14,939.70 for paying claims under the provisions of law relative to poor relief as permitted by law, and did issue warrants of said county in like amounts to evidence such indebtedness against the bridge, road and general funds, respectively, in the manner and form required by law; and,

WHEREAS, said expenditures were made for proper corporate purposes and the county of Mills is enjoying the use and benefit thereof, and the purpose for which said expenditures were made, was and is well worth the sum said county contracted should be paid therefor, and the indebtedness of said county at the time said warrants were issued did not and does not at this time exceed the constitutional limitation; therefore:

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That the action of the board of supervisors of the
 2 county of Mills in making such expenditures for said county and
 3 issuing warrants therefor in the sum of \$149,549.44, as aforesaid, be
 4 and the same are hereby legalized and validated.

1 SEC. 2. That the aforesaid warrants of the county of Mills, Iowa,
 2 in the aggregate sum of \$149,549.44 be and the same are hereby
 3 legalized and declared to be valid, legal and subsisting obligations of
 4 said county; and the board of supervisors of said county may issue
 5 and sell bonds to fund said warrants as provided by the laws of the
 6 state of Iowa.

1 SEC. 3. Nothing in this act shall affect pending litigation.

- 1 SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take
- 2 effect and be in full force from and after its passage and publication
- 3 in the Des Moines Register, a newspaper published in Des Moines,
- 4 Iowa, and the Glenwood Opinion, a newspaper published in Glenwood,
- 5 Iowa, without expense to the state.

Approved April 16, A. D. 1923.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register April 18, 1923, and the Glenwood Opinion April 18, 1923.

W. C. RAMSAY, *Secretary of State.*

CHAPTER 348

MONROE COUNTY

S. F. 744

AN ACT to legalize certain warrants issued by the board of supervisors of Monroe county, Iowa.

WHEREAS, the county of Monroe, Iowa, by its board of supervisors did heretofore authorize and incur indebtedness in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) for corporate purposes, as permitted by law, and prior to April 1, 1923, did issue warrants of said county in like amount to evidence such indebtedness in the manner and form required by law; and

WHEREAS, such expenditures were made for proper corporate purposes, and were necessary in order to support, maintain the institutions of said county, protect and repair its roads and bridges and pay ordinary expenses of said county, and such expenditures were greater in amount than usual because of the unsettled business conditions throughout the country, and the county of Monroe is enjoying the use and benefit thereof and the several purposes for which said expenditures were made is well worth the sum which said county contracted should be paid therefor, and the indebtedness of said county at the time said warrants were issued did not and does not at this time, exceed the constitutional limitation; and

WHEREAS, it is not clear under the law whether indebtedness so incurred for such unusual, extraordinary and necessary expenditure is to be considered in ascertaining said county's statutory limit of debt for general ordinary purposes; now therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. That the acts of the board of supervisors of the county
- 2 of Monroe in making such expenditures for said county and issuing
- 3 warrants therefor in the sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) as
- 4 aforesaid be and the same are hereby validated.

- 1 SEC. 2. That the aforesaid warrants of the county of Monroe, Iowa,
- 2 in the aggregate sum of sixty thousand dollars (\$60,000) be and the
- 3 same are hereby legalized and declared to be valid, legal and subsist-
- 4 ing obligations of said county, and the board of supervisors of said